On October 14, 2006 the CM/ECF system will be upgraded to Version 3.1 to implement the data gathering requirements imposed by BAPCPA, as well as to improve the system generally. In addition to the CM/ECF updates, new official forms will go into effect. Software providers have been alerted to these changes and have updated their software to interface properly with the new version of CM/ECF and to adopt the new forms. Please contact your software provider to ensure proper upgrades to your software programs. Proper upgrades are imperative as the system will not allow you to upload new petitions without same.

Because of the new statistical reporting requirements, several new events will be added to our event list. Please review the list carefully before selecting an event code to ensure the event corresponds with the document you are filing. If you fail to use the correct event, you will receive a Notice of Deficient Filing from our office. An updated event list will be posted to our website as well as inside the CM/ECF system. Watch the website for important additional announcements about CM/ECF Version 3.1.